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MEMORANDUM	FOR:	CHTEF.	FINANCE	DIVISION
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SUBJECT:

Approving Officers

REFERENCES:

(a) Regulation

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(b) Memo, COPS, DD/P, dated 17 August 1955.

(c) Memo to Addressee from CWH, dated 17 October 1956.

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- 1. Under the terms of references (a) and (b), Mright WH Staff/Chief, was designated and approved by reference (c) as an Alternate WHD Approving Officer.
- 2. His authorization, however, was limited "... to such times as both CWH and DCWH are absent."
- 3. As a matter of practicability, Mr. whether or not CWH 25X1A9a and his Deputy are absent, is the one officer of this Division who best meets the concept of reference (b) as related to activities, projects, and functions which are operationally extra-regional in nature, in that he is the focal point of supervision and direction.
- 4. An additional consideration concerns the fact that DCWH is preparing to process out for a field assignment within the near future and that the Deputy Chief designate will not enter on Headquarters duty until the latter part of 1957. Accordingly, Mr. will be called 25X1A9a upon more and more during the coming months to act for CWH.
- 5. It is therefore requested that the terms of Mr. 25X1A9a approved authorization be amended to specify that he is designated a WHD Approving Officer for activities, projects, and functions not

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related to a single WH Branch area of cognizance or to approve transactions relating to any activity, project, or function of the Division.

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